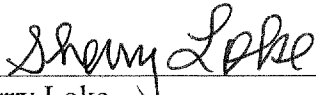


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UNDER 37 CFR §§1.97 AND 1.98

Sir:

In accordance with 37 CFR §1.56, the references listed on the attached form PTO/SB/08 are being brought to the attention of the Examiner for consideration in connection with the examination of the above-identified patent application. A copy of each cited reference is enclosed.

Applicants note that published International Application No. PCT/DE00/00244, having International Publication No. WO 00/44895, and cited as F1 on the attached form PTO/SB/08, was written in a foreign language. Applicants have also included AU 778474, cited as F3, on attached form PTO/SB/08. The Australian patent is believed to be an English language equivalent of WO 00/44895. Applicants note that although the specification of the WO 00/44895 application is written in a foreign language, an English language Abstract is provided therewith. Applicants respectfully request that these references be made of record and considered in the examination of the subject application.

This information is being submitted subsequent to the later of three months after the filing date of the present application or the mailing of the first Office Action on the merits, but before the mailing of a final action or the notice of allowance. The fee of \$180.00 was paid at the time this Information Disclosure Statement was filed.

It is respectfully requested that the references cited on the attached form PTO/SB/08 be considered in the examination of the subject application and that their consideration be made of record.

Applicants respectfully assert that the substantive provisions of 37 CFR §§1.97 and 1.98 are met by the foregoing statements.

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